

GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

December 23, 2019

The Honorable Ruth R. Hughs Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701 FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

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Secretary of State

Dear Madam Secretary:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following official document:

A proclamation No. 2019-0001 granting a pardon to Simone Lauren Blair, formerly known as Simone Lauren Waters.

The original proclamation is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson

Executive Clerk to the Governor

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Attachment

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PROCLAMATION

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Governor of the State of Texas

PROCLAMATION No. 2019-0001 DPS # 08732765

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, Simone Lauren Blair, formerly known as Simone Lauren Waters, D.O.B. February 25, 1992, was sentenced in the Criminal District Court #6 in Dallas County on November 18, 2011, to two days in jail for the offense of Attempted Credit Card Abuse, Cause No. F-10-45029-X; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles has recommended a Full Pardon and Restoration of Full Civil Rights of Citizenship;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GREG ABBOTT, Governor of the State of Texas, by virtue of the authority vested in me under the Constitution and laws of this State, and acting upon the recommendation of the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles, do hereby grant unto the said:

SIMONE LAUREN BLAIR

A FULL PARDON AND RESTORATION OF FULL CIVIL RIGHTS OF CITIZENSHIP THAT MAY HAVE HERETOFORE BEEN LOST AS A RESULT OF HER CONVICTION OF THE OFFENSE ABOVE SET OUT IN A COURT IN CAUSE NO. F-10-45029-X, IN DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS.

I HEREBY DIRECT that a copy of this proclamation be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and have officially caused the Seal of State to be affixed hereon, this the 23rd day of December, 2019.

GREG ABBOTT Governor

ATTESTED BY:

RUTH R. HUGHS Secretary of State DEC 2 3 2019

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